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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action mailed September 1, 2006 and Notice of Appeal mailed September 12, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.